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In re Application of

Marianne HICKEY *et al.*

Application Number 09/994,915

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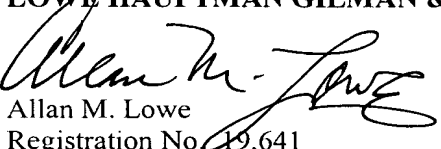
This is in response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated December 4, 2001, the period for response to which is set to expire on *February 4, 2002*. Submitted herewith are the following:

- Basic Filing Fee \$740.00
- Late Surcharge \$130.00
- Extra Independent Claim \$ 84.00
- Executed Declaration
- Preliminary Amendment
- Information Disclosure Statement  
w/ PTO-1449 and References

A Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$954.00 is attached to cover the above-listed fees. Please charge any deficiencies in the enclosed fees to Deposit Account 07-1337 and direct any inquiries in connection with this application directly to the undersigned.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$84.
  - \$84 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 954.

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